

REMARKS

Claims 1-19, 21, and 23-25 are currently pending in this application. Pursuant to the October 10, 2007 Office Action, claims 1-19, 21, and 23-25 were rejected. The Office Action further states that a complete Reply to the final rejection must include cancellation of non-elected claim 22.

By way of this Reply, claim 22 has been cancelled. Independent claims 24 and 25 have been amended, without prejudice. Support for the amendment to claim 24 can be found at the paragraph at pg. 3, line 14 – pg. 4, line 1 of the specification. Support for the amendment to claim 25 can be found in the specification at pg. 10, line 8 – pg. 11, line 2; pg. 16, lines 19-22; and pg. 20, line 28 – pg. 21, line 1. Applicants submit that no new matter has been introduced into the application by way of these amendments.

If the Examiner believes that any additional minor formal matters need to be addressed in order to place this application in condition for allowance, or that a telephone interview will help to materially advance the prosecution of this application, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned by telephone at the Examiner's convenience.

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In view of the foregoing remarks, Applicants respectfully submit that the present application, including claims 1-19, 21, and 23-25, is in condition for allowance and a notice to that effect is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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